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SENATE BILL 1581

By Powers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-1-134 and Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 5, relative to the transfer of juveniles to criminal court.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-1-134(a)(1)(A)(i), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

Less than fourteen (14) years of age at the time of the alleged conduct and charged with first degree murder, second degree murder, attempted first degree murder, attempted second degree murder, rape, aggravated rape, rape of a child, or aggravated rape of a child;

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to offenses committed on or after that date.